



IDAHO BIRDING TRAIL

Southeast Region

Pocatello • Idaho Falls

35 Tex Creek Wildlife Management Area

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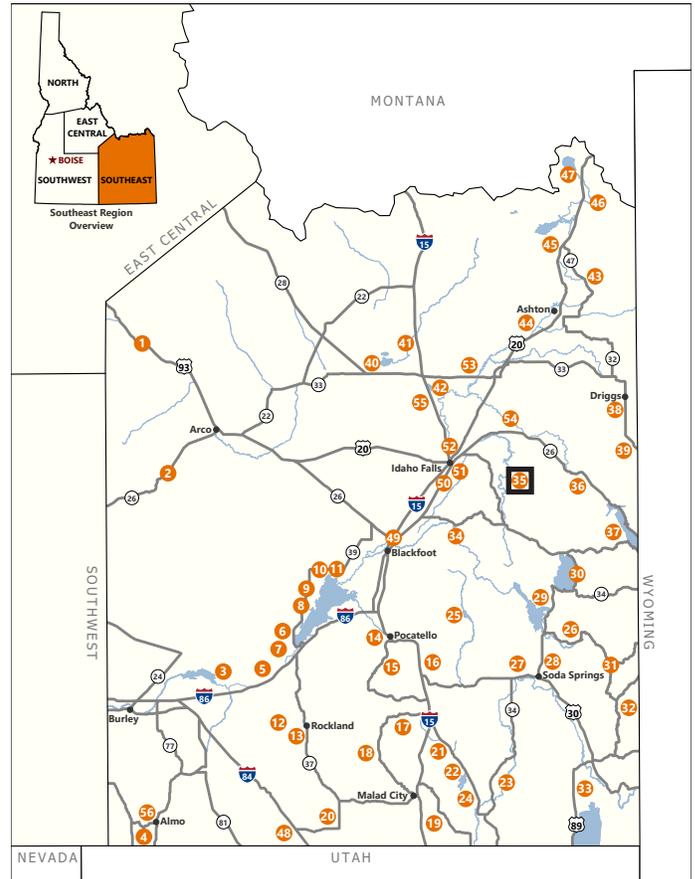


eBird ebird.org/hotspot/L1762645

LAT/LONG: 43.42788,-111.71413

DIRECTIONS: *From Idaho Falls, at US 26/ID 43, US 26 N 12.7 mi; R (S) on Meadow Ck Rd (145th E); zero odometer; at mi 3 rd becomes gravel; mi 6.2 R at fork; descend; mi 8.2 go straight (L) at fork; mi 10.7 R at moose sign; mi 12.4 Tex Creek WMA info kiosk; use kiosk as starting point for the 4 birding areas: the Granary, Indian Fork, Upper Meadow Creek, and Tex Creek (SW of HQ).*

Best birded in spring and summer. Columbian Sharp-tailed Grouse and Gray Partridge are found in the dry shrublands. Forest and riparian areas provide food and shelter for Dusky and Ruffed Grouse. Beaver ponds and constructed impoundments provide duck, goose, and waterbird nesting habitat. Black-capped Chickadee, Brown Creeper, American Goldfinch, shrikes, and Chipping Sparrows inhabit the forest, riparian, and upland communities. Bald and Golden Eagles, Northern Goshawk, and American Kestrel also frequent the area. Grasshopper Sparrows are relatively common in the fields west of the headquarters. Great Horned Owl can be found near the hay shed or in treed areas.



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